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Trust to Nature.

A great many Americans, both men and women, are thin, pale and puny, with poor circulation, because they have ill-treated their stomachs by hasty eating or too much eating, by consuming alcoholic beverages, or by too close confinement to home, office or factory, and in consequence the stomach must be treated in a natural way before they can rectify their earlier mistakes. The muscles in many such people, in fact in every weary, thin and thin-blooded person, do their work with great difficulty. As a result fatigue comes early, is extreme and lasts long. The demand for nutritive aid is ahead of the supply. To insure perfect health every tissue, bone, nerve and muscle should take from the blood certain materials and return to it certain others. It is necessary to prepare the stomach for the work of taking up from the food what is necessary to make good, rich, red blood. We must go to Nature for the remedy. There were certain roots known to the Indians of this country before the advent of the whites which later came to the knowledge of the settlers and which are now growing rapidly in professional favor for the cure of obstinate stomach and liver troubles. These are found to be safe and yet certain in their cleansing and invigorating effect upon the stomach, liver and blood. These are: Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Bloodroot, Mandrake root. Then there is Black Cherrybark. The medicinal principles residing in these native roots when extracted with glycerine as a solvent make the most reliable and efficient stomach tonic and liver invigorator, when combined in just the right proportions, as in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Where there is bankrupt vitality—such as nervous exhaustion, bad nutrition—and thin blood, the body acquires vigor and the nerves, blood and all the tissues feel the favorable effect of this sovereign remedy.

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It cleanses, soothes heals and protects the diseased membrane. It cures Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts., at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size 10 cts. by mail.

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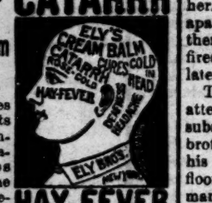

HAY FEVER

ANOTHER WONDER OF SCIENCE.

Biology Has Proved that Dandruff Is Caused by a Germ.

Science is doing wonders these days in medicine as well as in mechanics. Since Adam lived, the human race has been troubled with dandruff, for which no hair preparation has heretofore proved a successful cure until Newbro's Herpicide was put on the market. It is a scientific preparation that kills the germ that makes dandruff or scurf by digging into the scalp to get at the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality; causing itching scalp, falling hair, and finally baldness. Without dandruff hair must grow luxuriantly. It is the only destroyer of dandruff. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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The bark of a certain tree in California—Cascara Sagrada—offers a most excellent aid to this end. But, combined with Egyptian Senna, Slippery Elm Bark, Solid Extract of Prunes, etc., this same Cascara bark is given its greatest possible power to correct constipation. A toothsome Candy Tablet, called Lax-ets, is now made at the Dr. Shoop Laboratories, from this ingenuous and most effective prescription. Its effect on Constipation, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, Bad Breath, Sallow Complexion, etc., is indeed prompt and satisfying.

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For something new, nice, economical and effective, try a box of

Lax-ets

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Marriage and death notices must be paid or in advance.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

Murder and Suicide.

There was to have been a merry time yesterday in the home of Francesco Montforto, in New York. Beside the festivities attending the Easter celebration, his two sisters and two brothers, whom he had not seen since he left Sicily years ago, were at Ellis Island and were to join him.

His pretty wife, Felice, twenty years old a week ago, made elaborate preparations for the home-coming, and all Saturday night she was busy decorating the rooms with flowers and palms and cooking for the morrow. Bright and early yesterday, Francesco kissed Felice and their three-year-old son and started for Ellis Island. His cousin, Joseph Gravagna, entered the home immediately after Francesco left, walked over to the side of Francesco's wife, threw his arms around her and told her she must love him. She replied she loved him only as a cousin. Then Joseph drew a revolver and fired three shots at Felice, killing her. She fell dead in a neighbor's apartments just across the hall. Joseph then turned the revolver on himself and fired a shot into his right ear. He died later in Roosevelt Hospital.

Two hours later, when the excitement attending the shooting had somewhat subsided, along came Francesco with his brothers and sisters. When he entered his home he saw a figure lying on the floor covered with a blanket. A policeman broke the news. He took the matter philosophically, saying, "As he is dead, too, there's nothing I can do now."

Death of Galusha A. Grow.

Former Congressman Galusha A. Grow died at his home in Glenwood, Pa., yesterday afternoon as a result of a general breakdown attributed of old age.

Mr. Grow was elected to Congress from the Walnut district of Pennsylvania as the youngest member of that body in 1851, and after retirement from public life for nearly 40 years he re-entered the House of Representatives as Congressman-at-large from Pennsylvania, 14 years ago. When he retired four years ago his public service in the House extended over the longest period, although not continuous service, of any man who ever sat in that body.

During the ante-bellum days he was one of the best known men in the United States, and in 1864 he came within one vote of being nominated for Vice-President in place of Andrew Johnson, who succeeded to the presidency on the death of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Grow was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives in 1861 and occupied that position during the first two years of the war until his retirement from Congress in 1863.

Mr. Grow's greatest public service was as the "father" of the Homestead act, through which measure many millons of western farm lands were opened up to settlement by homesteaders, an act which has been credited with doing more than any other one thing for the development of the great West.

Mr. Grow was the last surviving member of a family of six children. He never married.

A Humane Appeal.

A humane citizen of Richmond, Ind., Mr. U. D. Williams, 107 West Main St., says: "I appeal to all persons with weak lungs to take Dr. King's New Discovery, the only remedy that has helped me and fully comes up to the proprietor's recommendation." It saves more lives than all other throat and lung remedies put together. Used as a cough cure the world over. Cures asthma, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, hoarseness, and phthsic, stops hemorrhages of the lungs and builds them up. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store. 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

Minister Suspended.

Because it is alleged he succumbed to the charm of Miss Eilen Newby, a pretty young milliner, whom he says he is preparing for foreign missionary work, Rev. Solon H. Bryan, pastor of the Methodist Church at Millen, Ga., and one of the most prominent ministers in Georgia, has been suspended and reported to conference for trial on a charge of immorality.

Mrs. Bryan suspected that a warmer bond than foreign missions bound Miss Newby and her husband, and she reproved the latter. Mr. Bryan stormed at his wife so loudly that neighbors overheard. Presiding Elder Lovett went to Millen yesterday and held a preliminary trial, and Bryan was suspended. Angered by the outcome of the trial, Mr. Bryan went home and whipped his wife, so neighbors say. These neighbors had Bryan arrested for wife-beating and he was placed in jail.

About 10 o'clock Saturday night Mrs. Bryan went to jail, gave bond for her husband, and took him home. She says she did not want the father of her baby in jail. Mrs. Bryan has a small fortune and is very pretty.

Does Coffee disagree with you? Probably it does! Then try Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. "Health Coffee" is a clever combination of parched cereals and nuts. Not a grain of real Coffee, remember, in Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, yet its flavor and taste matches closely old Java and Mocha Coffee. If your stomach, heart, or kidneys can't stand Coffee drinking, try Health Coffee. It is wholesome, nourishing, and satisfying. It's nice even for the youngest child. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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STEAMER "CALLAHAN."

Leave Alexandria at 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00 and 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00 and 7:00 p. m.

Leave Washington at 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, and 11.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30 and 6.30.

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JOHN CALLAHAN, 2d V.-P. and G. M.

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Never become hard or lumpy and never need making over.

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Retain their softness and elasticity longer than any other mattress.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md., March 28, 1907. Sealed proposals in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon May 1st, 1907, for the grading and construction of Macadam and Gravel Roads, Concrete Walks and the Resurfacing of Roads at Fort Washington, Md. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office and intending bidders will be furnished them upon depositing the sum of ten dollars which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Grading and Construction of Roads at Fort Washington, Md.," and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Washington, Md. ap1,2,3,4 29,30

OFFICE OF CONSTRUCTING QUARTERMASTER, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va., March 28th, 1907. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon May 1st, 1907, for the construction of a Timber Wharf, Wharfhouse and Dredging a Channel at Fort Hunt, Va. Information regarding plans and specifications may be obtained at this office, and intending bidders will be furnished with them upon depositing the sum of ten dollars which will be refunded upon return of same. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Wharf at Fort Hunt, Va., and addressed to the Constructing Quartermaster, U. S. Army, Fort Hunt, Va. ap1,2,3,4,29,30

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Secretary of the Board of Fire Wardens until 12 o'clock m., Tuesday, April 2, 1907, for supplying the horses of the Fire Department with feed for the months of April, May and June. Further information can be obtained from the undersigned.

H. A. DOWNHAM,
Secretary Board of Fire Wardens.
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WHOLESALE GROCERS, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS And Dealers in ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand Gibson's XX, XXX, XXXX, and Pure Old Rye, Old Cabinet and Monogram Whiskies; also Baker's and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskies, to which they invite the attention of the trade.

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STATEMENT OF

The First National Bank

OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., MARCH 22, 1907.

Resources.

Loans and Investments	$705,721.84
U. S. Bonds	152,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000.00
Banking House	10,000.00
Cash and Reserve	212,309.17
5 per cent. Redemption Fund	5,000.00
	$1,088,031.01

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	170,035.05
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	663,146.70
U. S. Deposits	51,799.72
Other Liabilities	3,049.54
	$1,088,031 01

Capital, $100,000. Surplus and Profits, $100,000.

OFFICERS:

President, Edward L. Daingerfield. Vice President, Wm. H. Lambert. Cashier, Carroll Pierce.

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Edward L. Daingerfield.
Wm. H. Lambert. M. A. Ahern.
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STATEMENT.

Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va.,

MARCH 22, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$529,787.49	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	75,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	50,000 00	Undivided Profits	52,154.63
Other Bonds and Stocks	27,316.56	Circulation	75,000.00
Banking House & Real Estate	57,856.97	Deposits	550,510.16
Cash	39,970.75	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
Due from Banks & Reserve Agents,	107,733.02		
	$887,664.79		$887,664.79

AUCTION SALES.

R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF A VERY VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND IN ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust given on December 4, 1906, by Mary Frances Swann Williams to the undersigned, said deed of trust being recorded in deed book No. 114, page 278, of the land records of Alexandria county, Virginia, and having been given to secure the payment of a certain negotiable promissory note therein described, default having been made in the payment of the said note, the undersigned, at the request of the holder thereof, will offer for sale, at public auction on the premises, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 1907,

ALL THAT LOT OF GROUND in the county of Alexandria, Va., beginning at a point in the north line of the Braddock (public) road where the said line is bissected by the center line of Mt. Vernon avenue 20.7 feet N. 55° 55' W. from a granite stone; thence with said north line of Braddock Road 55° 55' W. 421.3 feet to a stake; thence departing from said road N. 9° 27' E. 697.9 feet to stake in the south line of Smoot's tract; thence with said line of Smoot's tract N. 89° 58' E. 197.3 feet to the center line of Mt. Vernon avenue; thence with said center line reversed S. 2° 17' E. 726.26 feet to the beginning, containing 5.1602 acres, excepting, however, that portion occupied by Mt. Vernon avenue, with all rights and appurtenances to the said track of land belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Terms of sale: Cash; conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1907.

AFTER A trial lasting four days, George Midgets, alias William Johnson, colored, was in the Corporation Court of this city on Saturday evening found guilty of the murder of Charles T. Smith in this city on the night of October 20 last, and was sentenced to be hanged on May 24th next. The result was a surprise to many, but as the man was tried before twelve good men and true, who all know did but what they conscientiously believed was right and proper, the verdict must stand unless a higher court sets it aside or the Governor intervenes. There was no demonstration in the court room during the trial or before or after the verdict was rendered, and after the crowd which assembled to see the culprit taken out of the city under military escort had dispersed the usual quiet was restored. The trial will long be remembered as the first one ever held in this city with an armed military company guarding a prisoner and appearing in the court room uniformed and armed. It is hoped that such a scene will never be enacted in Alexandria again.

THE municipal ownership experiment made in New York city has not been crowned with a large degree of success. The city is at present conducting a ferry service between the Battery in the lower end of Manhattan Island and St. George, S. I. The service was installed at great expense to the city, and promised at one time great improvements in the service. As anticipated by sensible people it was soon discovered that the operation of the ferry by the city necessiated the employment of men only in the classified service list, and then politics was obtruded in the appointments. Instead of the men being selected wholly for their fitness, they have been chosen through politics, and from this fact alone the service has suffered noticeably. As the weak side of city ownership has been developed by the local experiment, there is a natural reaction against it, even by those who once regarded it as a political panacea, and today the issue possesses less vitality than it did before the first experiment was made. In operation it has neither insured efficiency nor demolished the field of political activity. And so with all municipal ownership schemes.

ILLUSTRATED lectures on the Panama canal by members of Congress threaten to become a drug on the market as a result of the recent visits to the isthmus of statesmen on vacation. Most of the members have returned from the Canal Zone full of enthusiasm about the big ditch, and no less than seven of them have already announced their purpose of taking to the lecture platform and telling the public all about the canal with stereopticon accompaniment. Applications galore have been received during the past few days by Secretary Bishop, of the Isthmian Canal Commission, who makes his headquarters in Washington, for photographs of the canal, prominent places on the Canal Zone and scenes in the cities of Panama and Colon. The enthusiastic Congressmen want to begin their lectures as soon as possible. Not only have they called upon the Canal Commission for photographs, but they have even gone so far as to request that they be furnished with stereopticon slides, which they desire to use in connection with their proposed lectures.

FORMER U. S. Senator Burton, who has recently completed his prison term at Ironton, Mo., in a speech at Abilene, Kan., insisted that his prosecution was a perversion of justice, animated by "certain commercial community of interests," namely, the sugar trust and the personal enmity of President Roosevelt, whom he had offended through opposing some of the President's plans. He said that every witness who testified to anything material against him had either been promoted in office or received immunity from punishment, and that every official who had anything to do with the case had, with one exception, been promoted by the President.

FOLLOWING an increase of 10 per cent. in the salaries of telegraph operators the tolls of the Western Union and other telegraph companies are to be raised 20 per cent. beginning with tomorrow. For every additional dollar paid to operatives the telegraph companies will exact many times that amount from the public. It is this sort of thing that has raised the hue and cry for governmental regulation of rates and general supervision over public utility companies. It appears that the people have been compelled to "pay the freight" for all the recent advances made in wages by the big corporations.

CHAS. P. TAFT, political manager of his brother, Secretary of War William H. Taft, has issued a challenge to Senator Joseph B. Foraker, of Ohio, for a contest in Ohio which will end in the elimination of either Foraker or Taft from the political situation. C. P. Taft announces that W. H. Taft accepts Foraker's challenge, in which Foraker makes it clear that he is a candidate for both the presidency and Ohio senatorship, and in order to make the fight a simple one will make a similar canvass himself, with the idea of driving Foraker out of Ohio's political life.

THIS is April Fools' Day, and the practical joker is about getting in his usual work.

From Washington.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, April 1.

The capture of the fleeing President of Honduras, Manuel Bonilla, by the Nicaraguan forces is regarded as only a question of time. Advices received at the State Department confirm the inference that Bonilla sought refuge at Amapala, situated on an island in the bay of Fonseca, which is surrounded by Nicaraguan gunboats and which has been subjected to frequent bombardment from the ships during the last week. It is presumed that before long Nicaragua will endeavor to land an armed force on the island for the purpose of backing up the naval bombardment and effect the capture of Bonilla, unless the defeated President chooses to surrender in order to prevent further loss of life and damage to property. If military forces are landed under cover of the fire from the ships the probabilities are that one of the most bloody and stubborn fights of the whole war will ensue. Unless others of the Central American States should finally determine, from fear of the aggressiveness of President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, to join hands with Honduras and declare war, the capture of Bonilla, it is thought, would bring an end to the war.

The President has received a great number of requests for a statement by him or a speech to be made by him in connection with the railroad situation. Many of these requests have come from most respectable people and the President has given them the utmost weight and most careful consideration. After thus fully looking into the matter the President has come to the conclusion that there is nothing new to say at this moment on the railway situation; that he does not deem it either wise or proper to say anything with a view to any immediate situation in Wall street and that as he should only give expression to the definite and settled policy to be carried out wholly without regard to the exigencies of the moment, and as his views on the policy in question are already a matter of record it does not seem necessary at this time to repeat them.

President Roosevelt will make his speech at the Jamestown Exposition on the morning of April 26th. On that occasion he will in all probability make the same speech with the railroads as his theme, that he was considering for delivery at Springfield, Ills. H. St. George Tucker, the president of the exposition company called at the White House today. The President will leave Washington on the Mayflower with Mrs. Roosevelt and his children at 6 p. m., April 25th, and will reach Jamestown 11 a. m., April 26th. They will leave on their return at 10 o'clock that night.

With three months of the fiscal year yet to come, there is a surplus in the treasury of over $51,000,000.

Southern Methodists.

At the fourth day's session of the Baltimore Conference Southern Methodist Episcopal Church, at Staunton, Saturday Robert Daniel was admitted to Conference on trial. Rev. John Paul Tyler, of Frederick city; Rev. John Joseph Rives, Rev. Wendall Allen and Rev. Joseph Sydenstricker also were admitted.

On the question as to who are admitted into full connection the following names were given: Revs. John C. Copenhaven, Charles L. DeLong, William T. Lawrence, Albert Vandevander, Wilmer P. Johnson and William C Spanangle, and they were all admitted.

Rev. J. F. Boggs and Rev. A. C. McNeers were referred to the superannuated list.

The following were elected deacons: G. H. Fielding, Bernard D. White, Edward Baker, Joseph Bean, Homer Welsh, Harry P. Baker and G. W. Stump.

Those advanced to the second year's probation are S. J. L. Dulany, Melvin T. Tabler, Francis M. Richardson, Jacob N. Mast, A. Knox, James W. Holliday, John F. Roberts and Oakley D. Lambert.

Rev. J. P. Houck, of the joint finance board, read statistics of the conference. The conference pays for superannuated preachers the largest amount, in proportion, in the whole church. This year the amount is $15,960, with $450 from the emergency fund collections. The collections show an advance of $1,400 over last year. The claimants number 73, of whom 39 are widows.

Murder Near Winchester.

Jealousy over a woman is alleged to have been at the bottom of a tragedy which occurred three miles southeast of Winchester last Saturday night, when Isaac R. Ritter was killed, it is alleged, by Otho N. Hillyard. The latter made no attempt to escape, and yesterday he was taken to Winchester and lodged in jail.

It is alleged that the men had had several quarrels concerning a Miss Carlisle, at whose house Hillyard was a boarder, and that shortly after sundown Saturday evening Ritter, in an apparently intoxicated condition, went to the house and demanded admittance.

He was repulsed, but returned about one hour later and renewed his demands whereupon Hillyard is said to have grabbed a double-barreled shotgun and shot Ritter twice, the first shot severing the main artery of his left leg and the second scattering in his left breast.

Ritter staggered and fell to the ground and his body is said to have remained undisturbed until early yesterday morning. When the coroner reached the scene several dogs were lapping up blood which had flowed from the dead man's wounds into pools at his feet.

Hillyard states that he and Miss Carlisle were to have been married in June. He had been employed as a farm laborer in the vicinity and is said to have shot at Ritter on a previous occasion.

Ritter was about 30 years old and had a wife and one child. During the Spanish-American war he served in Company K, Forty-ninth Volunteer Regiment, in the Philippines.

The Market.

Georgetown April 1.—Wheat 75@78

News of the Day

It is expected in Washington that the President will discuss the railroad situation in his speech at the opening of the Jamestown Exposition.

The plumbers, teamsters and woodworkers in Troy, N. Y., today went on a strike. All demand an increase in pay. About 300 men are affected.

Great Britain has formally requested Russia to include the question of limitation of expenditure in armaments in the program of the next Hague Conference.

The palace in Rome occupied by United States Ambassador Griscom was damaged $10,000 by fire and the Ambassador was slightly burned fighting the flames.

The English exchequer returns for the financial year show the total revenue of the United Kingdom to have been $775,182,290, an increase of $5,787,960 over the previous year.

It is understood in D. A. R circles that at the next continental congress Mrs. Donald McLean will be unanimously re-elected to succeed herself as president general.

John Jacob Astor, Robert W. Goelet and Cornelius Vanderbilt are said to have lost between $8,000,000 and $9,000,000 by the recent slump in Union Pacific and other stocks.

Wilbur Glen Voliva has issued an ultimatum in Zion City. Unless the people submit to him on May 1st, he will take radical action himself, he said. Voliva denounced everyone who has opposed him.

Dr. John M. Banister, one of the oldest ministers in the South, died at Huntsville, Ala., Saturday. Dr. Banister had been rector of the Episcopal Church for forty-seven years. He was born in Petersburg, in 1818.

Six men are reported to have been killed in a collision between two freight trains on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad, at Bethel Switch, six miles south of Fort Worth, Tex., today. Thirty freight cars were burned. Aid has been sent from this city.

The North Jersey Street Railway Company, which operates a large system of street railways in that city, was indicted by a grand jury at Newark, N. J, Saturday. It is charged with maintaining dirty and unsanitary cars, providing useless fenders and allowing its cars to be overcrowded by passengers.

What promised to be the largest and most spectacular array of Easter finery that had ever been witnessed on the Atlantic City Broadwalk was dimmed by leaden skies and rain. The almost summer weather of Saturday was followed by a chill rainy day—gay costumes were put aside, and those who promenaded did so in tailored gowns umbrellas and raincoats.

Clarence M. Thomas, of Cincinnati, has instituted suit for $25,000 damages against William L. Graddy, of Versailles, Ky., for the alleged alienation of the affections of Thomas' wife, Ada. Thomas is an accountant and Graddy is a millionaire horseman and grower of fine live stock. Mrs. Thomas is a beautiful young woman, originally from Baltimore. Graddy is married and has a family of grown children. It was at the Baltimore reunion of Elks that Graddy, it is alleged, met Mrs. Thomas.

Virginia News.

The circuit court of Staunton has appointed A. C. Gordon receiver of the Equity Life Association.

The annual report of the State penitentiary shows that some 600 convicts were received during the fiscal year, the vast majority being negroes.

Judge Scott, of the Henrico Circuit Court, has appointed W. B. Frayser county treasurer, in place of H. C. Eohler, recently removed from office.

The bright and balmy weather of the past week was followed by snow which fell over a large area in Virginia, yesterday making a white Easter and imperilling the fruit crop.

Daniel W. Kline, a well-known Confederate soldier, died at his home in Winchester Saturday, aged 64 years. Mr. Kline was for many years superintendent of the county courthouse.

Simon F. Dodson, a well-known farmer, committed suicide at his home, on the outskirts of Winchester, Saturday evening, by hanging himself to a rafter in his barn. He was 51 years old.

Mrs. Robert Preston of Leesburg has announced the engagement of her daughter Anne to Dr. Fraser Wilson of Charleston, S. C. The wedding will occur at the home of the bride Wednesday, April 17.

Judge and Mrs. Thomas W. Harrison, of Winchester, have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Arbella Knight Harrison, to Seabury Davies, of Baltimore, on Wednesday afternoon, April 10, in Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Winchester.

The engagement is announced of Miss Laura Smith, daughter of the late Joshua Smith, of Hamilton, Loudoun county, and Mr. Henry Hoge, of Purcellville. The marriage will occur at the Friend's meeting house in Lincoln, Thursday, April 11.

Failing to purchase the Old Dominion Steamship Company for part of his gigantic system of coastwise steamer lines, C. W. Morse will now, it is asserted, establish a competitive line between Norfolk and New York to break the monopoly hitherto enjoyed by the Old Dominion. The Pennsylvania Railway interest is said to dominate the Old Dominion.

Gov. Swanson states that on the occasion of the visit of President Roosevelt to the Jamestown exposition June 10—Georgia day—the corps of cadets from the Virginia Military Institute will be in attendance and will act as a special escort to the President. Gov. Swanson will entertain the President at the Virginia building. The governor of Georgia and most of the militia from that State will be in attendance on that day.

Henry Foster, aged twenty three, and his wife, aged twenty-one, were found dead in the woods near their home, on Peak Mountain, Friday afternoon. Both were shot in the breast, and the gun lay across the body of the dead woman. It is the theory of the authorities that the woman killed her husband, and then committed suicide. They were married last December, and about a month since she gave birth to a child, which has since died. He then threatened to leave her, it is said, and they frequently quarreled. An inquest will be held.

Today's Telegraphic News

The Thaw Case.

New York, April 1.—While Harry Thaw is so confident he will be free by next Sunday, that he has planned with Evelyn Nesbit Thaw how they will take dinner together on that day, District Attorney Jerome spent today putting in shape the evidence he hopes to produce before the lunacy commission tomorrow to convince the board of Thaw's insanity.

The recess taken by the commissioners until tomorrow gave him the opportunity to do this. Jerome hopes the decision of the board to allow his experts to testify as to their observation of Thaw in court and the evidence they heard will enable him to convince the members that Matteawan is the proper place for Thaw. Dr. Hamilton he relies upon as the chief witness to prove Thaw's mental unsoundness.

Thaw's lawyers let it be known today that they have no intention of calling in their experts to offset those of the District Attorney. They are confident that the State's alienists will be held down closely to tell just what they saw and heard. They are preparing to resume the interrupted trial before the week is over.

In case the lunacy board shuts out much of his expert testimony and then finds Thaw sane Jerome may make an effort to have the present trial declared a mistrial. He could apply for a writ of prohibition to the court of appeals.

It is pointed out by the Thaw lawyers, however, that Jerome will offer a strong reason, such as that a juror has been tempered with, to have the higher court stop the trial which has cost so much money and taken so many weeks, and they insist Jerome can make no showing which would induce the court of appeals to take such action.

The Thaw jury met for a few moments this morning and were then excused until 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning. The proceedings were purely formal.

Thaw came into court looking bright and cheerful. Then Justice Fitzgerald excused the men, giving the usual admonition to them.

Thaw was led back to the prison where Evelyn was waiting. She went over the bridge of sighs with him to the Tombs.

Thaw's attorneys were well pleased with the calling of the jurors again on Thursday. They believe this means the commission will file its report by that time.

If the trial is resumed on Thursday it is believed it will be wound up and given to the jury by Saturday night at the latest.

This afternoon Detective Reardon, of District Attorney Jerome's staff, served Evelyn Nesbit Thaw with a subpoena just as she was leaving the Tombs prison after a visit with her husband.

It is said that while it is not a part of the plan of the District Attorney to put Mrs. Thaw on the stand again, it is his purpose to keep her out of the court room during the remainder of the hearing in order that she may not affect the jury with her presence.

Affairs in Cuba.

Havana, April 1.—Secretary Taft will find plenty of hard work when he arrives next Sunday. Politicians, business men and citizens generally are preparing to lay their troubles before him.

There is bad blood between the soldiers and rurales in Pinar del Rio province, and one of Secretary Taft's most difficult tasks will be to straighten out the difficulties.

A serious clash may come at any time as an aftermath of fight with machetes and knives between rurales and members of the Eleventh Cavalry on Saturday.

Business men and conservatives will implore the Secretary to urge President Roosevelt not to call elections and try to re-establish the republic at present. Another attempt at self-government at this time must fail, they argue. If it is tried they predict that Cuba's present prosperity will be killed. But the rank and file of the liberal party will urge the carrying out of the promises to re-establish the republic. This, business men say, means to establish negro rule in Cuba as the liberal party, which will surely be composed mostly of negroes.

Women Murdered.

Chicago, April 1.—As a culmination of domestic unhappiness, Mrs. Charlotte Graff was found in bed today with her skull battered in by an axe and her head almost severed from its trunk. Charles Graff, her husband, is being sought by the police. No one knows by whom the woman was killed. The children say their parents lived unhappily for years.

New York, April 1.—To avenge the death of his sister, Maria Troupi, whose dead body was found in the hallway of her home in Brooklyn with her head almost severed from the body, Frederico Troupi ran amuck through the streets of Brooklyn today armed with a large cheese knife seeking his father whom he accuses of the crime. The police are on the lookout for Antonio Lancis, whom the mother of the girl charges committed the crime.

Richard Mansfield's Condition.

New York, April 1.—So serious has become the condition of Richard Mansfield, the actor, that a consultation of physicians has been called for this afternoon. Up to Saturday his condition had not been such as to cause any serious apprehension, and he had apparently been on the mend. Saturday evening, however, he took a turn for the worse and yesterday his condition became critical. In a bulletin this morning, issued at the actor's home, Dr. Crandall stated that his patient had only passed a fairly satisfactory night, and that his condition is quite serious. Mr. Mansfield's trouble is of a nervous nature combined with stomach derangement.

Mrs. Eugenia Glover died Saturday at her home at Berryville, of pneumonia aged 70 years.

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Earthquake in Turkish Armenia.

Constantinople, April 1.—A severe earthquake accompanied with heavy loss of life is reported to have occurred at Bitlis, a town of Turkish Armenia. The news comes in a brief message from missionaires at Bitlis stating that the town is badly damaged and they are homeless. The number of deaths is not known. Many people whose homes were ruined, the dispatches add, are living in the snow.

New York, April 1—Advices received here today from W. W. Poe, treasurer of the American Missionary Society at Constantinople, says the American missionaries in Bitlis have been rendered homeless. With many natives, he cables, the missionaries are encamped in the snow. Assistance is urgently requested. The snow in the vicinity, it is stated, is five feet deep.

The Roumanian Revolt.

Bucharest, Roumania, April 1.—Upon the course of the government in the next few days practically depends whether or not the revolution started by the peasants is to sweep over the whole country. Roused by couriers sent out by the anarchistic organization the peasants are prepared to inaugurate a general uprising if there are further brutalities by the troops.

Government advices today are that the situation is quieting down. There have been fresh disturbances in several provinces, but they are not as dangerous as last week's outbreaks. Despite optimistic statements by government officials, it is felt that the revolutionary agitators are only waiting further repressive measures by the government to rouse the peasants to general attacks on the troops. If this is done civil war is almost certain to result on a grand scale.

Almost the entire province of Krajova is practically in the control of riotous peasants. The communes of Puerezani and Pegani are in open revolt and fresh disturbances have occurred in Moldavia and Putna.

In some of the provinces the ringleaders who organized the revolt have been captured. This has delayed the uprising somewhat. New leaders are prepared to take the places of men under arrest if it is decided to start new revolts.

Tugboat Sunk.

New York, April 1.—In a collision on the North river during a blinding snowstorm early today between the Delaware, Lackawanna, and Western ferryboat Musconetcong and the tugboat John D Daly, of the Daly Towing Company, the Daly was sunk. Three men of her crew are missing and believed to be drowned, although there is a bare chance that they were picked up by other boats. Four deck hands on the Daly were hurled overboard but picked up by the tugboat John Smith. Later a deck hand who was carried down stream some distance before the Daly sank was picked up by the tugboat Greenwich. All the men are in hospitals in serious condition.

Want Joint Conference.

Chicago, April 1.—Chairman Knapp of the Interstate Commerce Commission and Commissioner of Labor Neill met the railway managers this morning at the auditorium. Shortly before noon they made preparations to meet the railroad trainmen and conductors in an effort to bring about a joint conference between the managers and employes. It is believed the federal agents will succeed in bringing about a joint meeting. The intervention of President Roosevelt, through Knapp and Neill, has accomplished a tentative waiving of minor points in the demands of the men, it is said. There is hope that the railroads will yield enough to make the reopening of negotiations welcome to the employes.

Swettenham's Successor.

London, April 1.—Sydney Olivier will succeed Sir Alex. Swettenham, who ordered Admiral Davis and the American warships from Kingston, during the recent earthquake horror there, as Governor of Jamaica. King Edward has approved the transfer. Olivier entered the colonial office in 1882 after an open competitive examination for the appointment. He has served in various capacities in the West Indies and other colonies. His last post was that of principal clerk for the West African department of the Colonial Office.

Queen Christina Critically Ill.

Madrid, April 1.—The condition of Queen Christina, mother of King Alfonso, who has been confined to her bed with an attack of grip, is regarded as critical today. The last sacraments have been administered to her and the physicians refuse to make any predictions as to the progress of her illness. Queen Christina had planned to go to Cartagena with King Alfonso to meet King Edward, but was prevented from doing so by her illness.

Brewers' Strike in St Louis.

St Louis, April 1.—No beer has been in St. Louis since the first local union walked out Friday noon, and wealthy volunteers as coal heavers and stokers are keeping the fires going at the various plants in the expectation that the organized workers will return to their posts. Two beer "cans" draped in mourning, were hoisted over the main entance to a saloon in Easton Avenue. This was the bartenders' ultimatum to stop can rushers.

Suicide of a Murderer.

Alexandropol, Russian Armenia, April 1.—Becoming crazed with rage because he was refused further lodging at the home of a married sister, a man named Karapetyants killed his brother-in-law and a neighbor, mortally wounded his sister, nephew and niece and the wife and mother of the neighbor. He then took his own life.

Storm Warning.

New York, April 1. — The local weather bureau today received the following from the Washington bureau: "Northeast storm warnings are displayed at noon along the Atlantic coast and high northerly winds this afternoon and night."

It is reported that Mr. John D. Rockefeller has made a gift of Forest Hill, his magnificent and extensive summer home, to the city of Cleveland for use as a public park, together with an endowment and improvement fund of $2,000,000.

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Murder in First Degree.

When the Gazette's report of the case of the Commonwealth vs. George Midgets alias William Johnson, charged with the murder on October 20th last of Charles T. Smith, the case had been given to the jury at 3:45 o'clock and a verdict was being awaited. While the jury was out, Midgets asked if he might have a conference with his wife, and Judge Barley directed that she be brought from the jail, where she is serving a six months' sentence for assaulting Policeman Nicholson.

The couple were in conversation in a private room, under guard, when the jury re-entered the court room. At 5:05 o'clock, or after a deliberation of one hour and twenty minutes, the jury filed into the court room. Clerk Greenaway asked if the jurors had agreed upon a verdict and Mr. A. J. Pohl, foreman, replied that they had, and handed the clerk the verdict, which read: "We the jury find the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree as indicted."

At the request of counsel for the prisoner, the jury was polled.

Silence prevailed throughout these proceedings. There were but few in the court room at the time, as Judge Barley had requested the military to keep the crowd out. A majority of those present were surprised at the result as but few believed that such a verdict would be rendered. It is understood that on the first ballot the jury stood 8 for conviction and 4 blank, but that on a roll call all voted for conviction.

After the case had been given to the jury the court room was virtually cleared of spectators, the attaches of the court, newspaper men and a few others only being allowed to remain. The soldiers kept guard at the door on Fairfax street leading to the court room, as well as those on the second floor. This procedure was deemed necessary to prevent anything in the way of a demonstration.

As soon as the verdict had been announced Mr. Howard W. Smith, one of the attorneys for the defense, moved for a new trial, on the ground that the verdict was contrary to the law and evidence in the case, and also moved an arrest of judgment. Both motions were overruled by the court.

Judge Barley then said to the prisoner:

"George Midgets stand up. Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced?"

The prisoner in a distinct voice said: "There is a great mystery about this case. Any jury could not help finding such a verdict." Continuing, he said, in substance that he had received a fair and impartial trial, and that with the evidence the jury could not have returned any other verdict.

The overcoat which was discarded by the murderer as he ran from the scene belonged to him, he said, but he asserted, as he had on the witness stand, that he had left it in his room, and that the murderer of Smith, whoever he was, had evidently appropriated it. Midgets said that his attorneys had done all they could for him, and he appreciated their efforts, but that he was unfortunate in not being able to establish the truth of his statement that he had returned to Robinson the 44-caliber pistol, as it had been proved that Smith was killed by a .44-caliber bullet. "Every man wants to live as long as he can, and I am like every body else," said Midgets, "but I had rather die innocent of the murder of Smith than guilty of it. I feel that I am going to die, and there is only one thing that hurts me, and that was the evidence that my wife struck the policeman with a brick. I think more of her than I do of my life."

At the conclusion of Midgets' statement Judge Barley told him that he had had a fair and impartial trial, and that it remained for the court to pass sentence upon him. Thereupon the judge sentenced him to be reconveyed to Fredericksburg and kept there until May 23, upon which day he is to be brought back to this city and conveyed to the city jail and executed the 24th day of May between the hours of 6 o'clock and noon. [May 24th is Confederate Memorial Day.]

Judge Barley then dismissed the jury, and thanked them for their patience in the performance of a difficult and painful task, and said they deserved the appreciation of the citizens of Alexandria for the deep interest they had shown.

Sarah Midgets, wife of the prisoner, was in court when her husband was sentenced. She wept aloud, and a few minutes afterward Midgets was allowed to enter an anteroom under guard, where he held a short conversation with his wife. She was grately affected, but the condemned man was apparently unmoved, and talked with her calmly and quietly before kissing her good-by. The scene was a very affecting one.

Midgets appeared to be unaffected when the death sentence was pronounced. He admitted to the reporters that the trial had been fair and impartial, but again said his lawyers had a hopeless case. When questioned before the verdict had been brought in Midgets said he expected a verdict of guilty. When asked why he expected such a verdict he replied that he always looked on the dark side of everything. The prisoner also stated that he felt one of the jurymen had decided upon a verdict before he left jury box.

Midgets was afterward conveyed, under military guard, to the station house, and was kept there until 7:15 o'clock, when he was taken to the union depot and latter sent to Fredericksburg. A large crowd assembled about the court house and many waited to see the prisoner depart. Before leaving this city Midgets was photographed.

Mayor Paff and Chief Goods held a conversation with the condemned man before he was carried away. The prisoner reiterated his story concerning the murder, and denied that he is the guilty man. He was questioned by Mayor Paff for the Phoenixville, Pa., authorities. It is charged that he killed a baker named Max Elkins in Phoenixville more than a year ago, or was an accessory to the crime.

Mayor Paff states that when Midgets is brought back to Alexandria to be executed he will not be under military guard.

The trial commenced Wednesday last, and the proceedings were read by a majority of citizens, many of whom express a surprise at the result.

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Before Mayor Paff left for Fredericksburg he asked Mayor Paff if he could see Lieut. Smith, father of the murdered man. The message was conveyed by the mayor to Lieut. Smith, but he said he did not care to see the prisoner. Just what Midgets desired to tell the lieutenant is not known.

Mr. William Candler, Jail Warden, who accompanied Midgets to Fredericksburg, has returned. He says the prisoner talked but little on the trip, and said nothing of special interest. He, however, took exceptions to the testimony of one of the colored witnesses, who, it was alleged, had given the police certain information shortly after the killing of Smith, which varied from that given by him when placed on the stand during the trial.

Attorneys for the defense will, it is said, have the bullet removed from Midget's leg with a view of showing that it is not of .38 caliber. Both Policemen Garvey and Arthur Meeks claim that the night of the murder they were firing .38 cartridges. In the event the bullet is removed and it is not of that size it will be cited as proof that neither Garvey nor Meeks fired the shot. This, it is conceded, will be a telling point in favor of the appeal.

It is also understood that Messrs. Brumback and Smith, counsel for the defense, will endeavor to carry the case to the Court of Appeals.

The verdict of the jury was bulletined at the Gazette office within a minute after it had been rendered and many expressed surprise while others at first were inclined to doubt the correctness of the bulletin. The news soon spread throughout the city and was the subject of general conversation that night, with a divided opinion concerning the justness of the verdict.

Chief Goods will today send a communication to the police at Phoenixville, Pa., giving a statement from George Midgets, in which the condemned man charges that Frank Robinson, colored, his companion on the night of the shooting in this city, murdered Max Elkins, a baker, in Phoenixville, February 14, 1906. Johnson is also wanted by the Pennsylvania authorities in connection with the killing of Elkins. Johnson claims he was not with Robinson at the time of the murder in Phoenixville and had nothing to do with it, but was familiar with the circumstances of the shooting. He declares that Robinson entered Elkins' house for the purpose of robbery, and, when apprehended, committed the murder by firing two shots, both of which took effect. When formally examined on the subject by Mayor Paff and Chief Goods, Johnson was decidedly non-communicative. It was with difficulty that he could be induced to tell anything about the affair. His account varied considerably from his former statement to Officers Ferguson and Roberts who brought him here from Pennsylvania that he was involved with Robinson in the commission of the crime.

The reward of $100 offered by the city of Alexandria and a similar sum offered by the Governor of Virginia for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Charles T. Smith, will, it is understood, be paid over to Maj. Hutchinson, chief of police of Harrisburg, Pa., for distribution. Several of the police of Harrisburg, under Police Sergt. W. Melvin Kepford, accomplished the arrest of Midgets.

The Soldiers at the Jail.

What is the occasion of the ordering out of a company of soldiers from Fredericksburg in connection with the trial of this negro in Alexandria? This is a question being asked by every one in this community. It is a simple case of murder. No woman was involved, the usual ground which threatens lynching. It is possible that the people of Alexandria did intend to lynch this negro for the committing of an ordinary murder, but we will not believe it until there is better evidence than we have yet. The press of this community had no intimation of it. The calling out of these troops is a reflection upon Alexandria city. It calls for an explanation. Is it true that a man who commits murder in Alexandria city can not have a fair trial? If not, why are these troops called out, and the State put to such a great expense? Have the Alexandria city papers any opinion upon so important a subject? The only interest in this county concerning the matter arises from the fact that a body of troops has been ordered into it surrounding our county jail to "protect" a lone darkey for having murdered somebody.—[County Monitor.

New York Stock Market.

New York, April 1.—The stock market opened at general gains. There was a shading off from the opening all around the room, but a general movement, coupled with scant offering of stocks created a strong tone and prices made further gains over Friday's high prices. The price movements generally were of opening gains followed by the reactions and later sharp advances on which prices moved up 1 to 3 points above Friday's closings.

LETTER TO REV J P STUMP

Alexandria, Virginia.

Rev. Sir: We should like to ask your advice on a certain thing done: was it right or wrong? We shall have to state it, including the names.

D F Dreicorn is a painter in Holyoke, Mass. John J. Donohue is an architect, Springfield, near by.

Donohue was building, at Holyoke, the Holy Family Institute, letting the work by bids, as usual. Dreicorn got the paint job; the paint was to be lead-and-oil.

But Dreicorn said to himself: "lead-and-oil isn't half so good as Devoe and it costs more money, what shall I do?" He painted Devoe; and, after the work was done, told Donohue, saying: "if that isn't better than any lead-and-oil job, I'll make it so."

Was Dreicorn right or wrong in painting a lead-and-oil job Devoe?

You ask how it turned-out. This was six years ago. Now Donohue has another job there, a big addition to the Catholic Hospital; and he doesn't ask bids for the painting, but says to Dreicorn: "Go ahead Dreicorn and give me as good a job as you did on the Institute. That's the best paint job I ever saw."

The question is "Was Dreicorn right in painting Devoe when he had agreed to paint lead and-oil?"

That isn't quite all. Lead-and-oil is expected to last three years. If Dreicorn had used lead-and-oil, there would have been another job for him or somebody-else three years ago.

Was he right in losing that job for himself or somebody-else three years ago?

The Institute took 200 gallons Devoe and cost $1,000; the paint has worn six years, when Donohue says "it's the best paint job he ever saw." If he had used lead-and-oil it would have cost about $2,200 for the two paint jobs (six and three years ago) and be hungry for paint again.

Dreicorn lost $1,200 of business and took the risk of making Donohue mad and losing his business, forever; all to save the Holy Family Institute $1,200 besides the fuss of a paint job.

Was Dreicorn right or wrong as a painter; and which would you paint your church, lead-and-oil or Devoe?

Yours truly,

F W DEVOE & Co.

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P. S.—E S. Leadbeater & Sons sell our paint.

Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1907.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table,

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:43 a. m. and sets at 6:25 p. m. High water at 10:27 a. m. and 10:52 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy and colder tonight; temperature below freezing. Tuesday partly cloudy; fresh northwesterly winds.

Easter.

Yesterday was a raw, rainy Easter in marked contrast with the days of the past week when the skies had been so clear and the sun shone so genial. The churches however, were all well attended and services appropriate to the great festival were held according to Saturday's announcements. The elaborate musical programmes which were published last week were all admirably rendered and so greatly enjoyed that they will probably be repeated next Sunday. The rain was a sad disappointment to those, young and old who had anticipated a fine day that they might shine in their new spring regalia. Bewitching bonnets and lovely gowns, which were all in readiness, had to be laid aside for a more propitious occasion as the rain had prevented the "Easter parade." Many young men who had also expected to appear in gorgeous attire either stayed at home or were seen in their old clothes. The rain was continuous throughout the day and well into the night and the streets showed but little animation except just before and after the church services.

Sunday School Celebrations.

The Sunday schools of the Epi-copal Churches of the city held their Easter celebrations yesterday.

At Christ Church at 4:30 o'clock in the evening the children assembled at the parish hall and, with their teachers, marched in procession to the church where the exercises were held. These consisted of the singing of carols, an address by Mr. Thomas Lawrence, of the Theological Seminary, and the presentation of the Easter offering, which amounted to $225. The floral piece was a beautiful anchor of purple flowers surrounded by the words "Easter Hope in Christ" in letters of red flowers. The exercises were well attended. The Easter offering in the church in the morning amounted to $151.

At St. Paul's Church the children and teachers assembled in the Sunday school building at 4:30 o'clock in the evening and with banners floating marched to the church where the beautiful Easter exercises were held. These also consisted of an address by the rector, the singing by the children, etc. The floral design was a chrysalis and a butterfly typifying the resurrection of Christ. The Easter offering amounted to $114. The offering in the morning in the church amounted to $300. During the exercises a slight commotion was caused by a report that something was on fire, but the excitement soon subsided.

The exercises at Grace Church were held at 9:30 o'clock in the morning and consisted of carols, addresses by the rector and members of the Sunday school and the distribution of prizes. The Easter offering amounted to $81 and the offering in the church in the morning for the building fund amounted to about $300.

Easter Monday.

The day broke with cloudy skies and a cold northwest wind, weather conditions anything else than favorable for a holiday, especially for the younger generation, who had been anticipating a day's outing under pleasant spring auspices. Later in the day the sun came out but the wind continued to blow while the mercury remained but slightly above the freezing mark. Many of the young and some of the older ones braved these conditions and went to the commons and hills nearby to roll eggs and enjoy other Easter pastimes but the weather was too unfavorable for pleasure. Numbers of people went to Washington to see the egg rolling in the White House lot.

Fatal Accident at Depot.

Luther Spinks was struck by a train at the new passenger station, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon and fatally injured. The deceased, it is said, went to the passenger station with the intention of taking a train for Manassas. The impression prevails that he attempted to cross the track for the purpose of boarding the Southern local, when he was struck by a train known as the "annex" which transports workmen between this city and the Potomac yard. The injured man was picked up by railroad employes, and taken to the Alexandria Hospital in an ambulance. Dr. W. M. Smith amputated his right arm and leg, in the hope of saving his life but he died about 11 o'clock Saturday night. The deceased was a native of Loudoun county, and was about thirty-eight years of age and was unmarried. He boarded in this city. His remains will be forwarded to Vienna tomorrow by Demaine & Son, where they will be interred.

Robberies.

Three robberies occurred about the same time in the northwestern section of the city at an early hour yesterday morning. Thieves entered the residence of Mr. Thomas W. Robinson, at the corner of Washington and Oronoco streets and secured a number of articles. Mr. A. G. Uhler, who resides at the corner of Washington and Cameron streets, was awakened about 3 o'clock yesterday morning by a noise downstairs. Going down to investigate, he frightened away two robbers, who managed to carry off two coats and a walking cane. Mr. J. W. Harris, who lives at 226 north Columbus street, reports thieves secured a quantity of table supplies from his residence last Saturday night. It is believed that the robberies were committed by juvenile thieves.

Banquet to Mr. Pitts.

A delightful little banquet was given at the Coferton Hotel on the night of the 26th in honor of Mr. Melvin P. Pitts, who leaves next Monday to enter the service of the government in Panama. Prof. E. S. Ligon was toastmaster. Nearly all of the guests had something to say, expressing their regret at the prospect of Mr. Pitts's departure. Mr. Pitts responded gracefully.—[Newport News Press.

Mr. Pitts is a native of this city and his many friends here wish him much success in his new field.

Personal.

Mrs. Samuel R. Johnston and daughter, Miss Essie, of Orange, N. J., are visiting Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mrs. L. L. Neale, of Lancaster county, is the guest of Mrs. William Woolls, jr., at 607 Queen street.

Judge and Mrs. Louis C. Barley left Saturday night to spend Easter Sunday at Old Point.

Mr. J. T. Allen, of this city, left this morning for Fredericksburg, to visit friends and relatives for a week or ten days.

Capt. William H. Sweeney has gone to Norfolk to attend the annual convention of the county presidents of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, which was held in Portsmouth yesterday. Mr. J. D. Normoyle accompanied him.

Mr. James R. Caton, who had been on a trip through the south as far as St. Augustine, Fla., has returned to his home in this city.

Misses Mary and Rebecca Lloyd, of New York, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. George Uhler.

Mrs. Edward Greene, of Zanesville, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. William C. Greene, on north Washington street.

Miss Mary Harlow has returned from Mt. St. Agnes' Convent to spend Easter with her family in this city.

The Alexandria German Club will give the last dance of the season at McBurney's Hall next Friday evening. A large number of out-of-town guests are expected to be present.

Mrs. Gilbert Cox has as her guests her sister, Miss Mary Bland Murphy, her cousin, Miss Mamie Murphy, and Miss Janet Latane, of Westmoreland county, and Miss Lucy Rust, of Seminary Hill.

Miss Nannie Norton has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Alexander Sands, in Richmond.

Miss Virginia Bouldin is paying a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Berryman Green, on Seminary Hill.

Mrs. George Carr Henry, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. William J. Boothe, jr., has returned to her home in Morristown, N. J.

Miss Mary Slater, formerly of this city, but now of Washington, and daughter of the late John Slater, and Mr. C. C. Lamond, of Takoma, will be married in Christ Church, in this city, on Wednesday next by Rev. William J. Morton, rector.

Mrs. Wm. A. Moore with her child left today for Avondale, Ala., to visit her sister, Mrs. W. S. Passmore.

Mr. and Mrs. William May have returned from their wedding tour.

Judge Barley left for Manassas today to hold the April term of the Prince William court.

Mr. Henry Wilbur, of Swathmore College, near Philadelphia, delivered an interesting address at the Friends' meeting at Woodlawn, Fairfax county, yesterday.

Mrs. Kate Miller, of Capitol Hill, is spending the Easter holidays with relatives in this city.

Mr. John F. Morrow and Mrs. Blanche E. Thompson were quietly married last Saturday night at the parsonage of Grace Church by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

Miss Reubie L. Broadus slipped and fell on the sidewalk at the corner of King and Columbus streets Saturday afternoon and painfully sprained her ankle. She was removed to her home on Queen street, where she was attended by Dr. Hugh McGuire.

The Junior Mary Custis Lee Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, held a cake and apron sale at Lee Camp Hall Saturday afternoon. Mrs. David Janney Howell was in charge and was assisted by a number of the young ladies of the chapter.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Henry Willis, colored, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with assaulting his wife had his case continued.

A white woman, arrested by Officer Sherwood charged with being drunk in the street, was released.

Thomas Verdon, colored, arrested by Officers Bell and Jones charged with selling liquor on Sunday and without a license, was dismissed.

William McKnight, colored, arrested by Constable L. O'Conner, of Fairfax county, charged with obtaining goods under false pretences, had his case continued.

Vestrymen Elected.

At the annual election of vestrymen for Christ Church held today the following were chosen:

W. A. Smoot, D. N. Rust, H. Snowden, L. M. Blackford, G. L. Boothe, C. C. Leadbeater, E. S. Leadbeater, G. S. French, C. H. Yohe, H. F. Robertson, W. D. Wood and H. R. Burke.

The following were re-elected vestrymen for St. Paul's Church:

Maj. Jno. W. Green, J. Wallace Hoff, Capt. R. F. Knox, Jno. R. Zimmerman, Capt. Herbert Bryant, Edward L. Daingerfield, Col. L. W. Reid, Julian T. Burke, Judge J. Keith M. Norton, Doctor George T. Klipstein, William B. Smoot and J. C. Milburn.

Fire at Potomac Yards.

A fire in the supply house at the Potomac railroad yards north of this city about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, destroyed the house and its contents and also a large number of frame buildings adjoining, which were occupied by colored men employed by the railroad company. The majority of the occupants of the frame buildings lost all of their belongings. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The Fishery.

The fishing season for 1907 has virtually opened, and fish are arriving slowly at the corporation wharf. A vessel reached there yesterday having on board 12,000 herring and 200 shad. Prices are still firm. The change in the weather will temporarily retard operations at the shores.

Interesting Relic.

Mr. William Topping, yardmaster of the Southern Railway in this city, has in his possession an interesting relic of colonial days in the shape of a three-dollar note of the Colony of New York. It is signed by Cornelius Ray and N. Roosevelt, and was printed by S. Loudon.

All fool's day.

Lost and Found,

Lost, between 9:30 p. m., yesterday and noon today, a bilious attack, with nausea and sick headache. This loss was occasioned by finding at E. S. Leadbeater & Son's drug store a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, the guaranteed cure for biliousness, malaria and jaundice. 25c.

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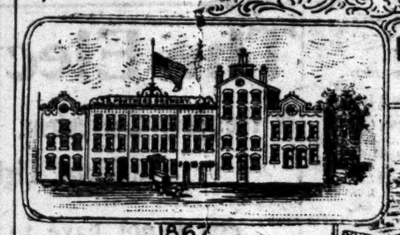

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U. D. C.

The regular monthly meeting of Mary Custis Lee Chapter, U. D. C., will be held in Lee Camp Hall, Confederate Veterans' building, tomorrow, Tuesday afternoon, at three o'clock.

Family Theatre.

The Family Theatre will offer this week some of the best motion pictures they have yet secured. The programme will include "The Country Schoolmaster," "Ill Rewarded Honesty," "California Hold-up," "Brannigan Sets Off the Blast," "Palls, or My Friend the Dummy," &c. New illustrated songs will be rendered. Tuesday night will be souvenir night, and each lady attending the performance will be given a handsome hat pin.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

There was less egg "picking" in this city this Easter than ever before.

The Chesapeake and Ohio canal, which has been put in thorough repair, was opened for navigation today.

The mercury which on Saturday was way up in the eighties this morning showed just a shade above freezing point.

The Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church will convene next Wednesday in Rhode Island Avenue Church in Washington.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliaro to R. E. Lee Camp will be held in Confederate Veteran's Building, tomorrow, Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

The bank of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Co., at Remington, which was burned out with the burning of the store house of Messrs. Early & Maupin, recently, has resumed business in Dr. G. R. Cottingham's office in that town.

The funeral of Mrs. Nellie E. Dreitus, whose death occurred Friday, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence of her husband, Mr. Jos. Dreitus, 207 Commerce street. Rev. Father Kelly, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, officiated, and the interment was made in Bethel Cemetery.

F. J. Smith, an attache of the Virginia penitentiary, passed through this city today having in charge a colored man name John Webb, who was recently convicted of housebreaking by the Circuit Court of Fairfax county. Webb is to serve three years in the penitentiary. While waiting for a Southern Railway train the prisoner was confined in the station house in this city.

Ashby Williams, colored, and John Steiff, white, who were arrested by Deputy U. S. Marshal J. S. Glover in Fairfax county Friday afternoon charged with destroying a government mail box about two miles from this city, were brought before Commissioner Garnett in the United States court room this morning. The prisoners were defended by Mr. Robinson Moncure. The commissioner dismissed Williams and sent Steiff on to the grand jury.

The work of removing the brick sidewalk from the front of the Braddock House on Fairfax street, preparatory to replacing it with a granolithic pavement, is now in progress. One of the bricks bears the name of Samuel Tucker, who in by gone years conducted a brickyard near Colross.

During the month of March the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 43 deeds and issued 22 marriage licenses, 12 to white and 10 to colored persons.

A large excursion party from Richmond arrived here this morning and took the electric cars for Washington to spend the day.

In the Corporation Court today Mrs. Annie Smith was appointed guardian of Marian L., Lilian E. and Henry Schwab.

The price of Ice cream soda and other mixed drinks dispersed at soda fountains have been anvanced to 10 cents.

The public schools will reopen tomorrow after the Easter holiday.

Arthur Staples died in Washington yesterday.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Fried clams. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. Clam Soup three times a week. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 28tf

The Great Northern Railway Company, after commenting on the favorable decision in the case of the State of Minnesota to restrain the company from issuing additional capital stock, in a notice to the stockholders today stated in New York that the company will proceed with the issue in accordance with the resolutions of the board of directors and the terms of the circular of December 11, 1906.

South bound train, No. 71, on the Southern Railway, was wrecked at Witt station, seven miles north of Danville, early yesterday morning, resulting in serious injury to engineer W. A. King and Fireman W. D. Stallings.

A Swiss engineer named Feldmann is working out a project for an aerial suspension railway to the summit of Mount Blanc.

Senator Bailey has come out unequivocally for Bryan for president and says the Texas delegation will solidly vote for him.

For Catarrh, let me send you free, just to prove merit, a Trial size Box of Dr. Shoop's Catarrah Remedy. It is a snow white, creamy, healing, antiseptic balm that gives instant relief to Catarrh of the nose and thoat. Make the free test and see. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

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12½c " "	10c
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12½c India Linon	10c
15c " "	12½c
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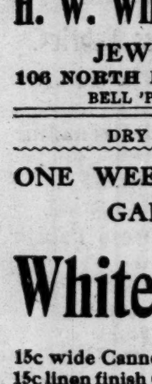

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I hereby announce my candidacy for the democratic nomination for Congress from the Eighth congressional district, and in so doing desire to say that if chosen at the forthcoming primary it shall be my constant aim and endeavor to represent faithfully the interests of the entire district.

In the course of the campaign I shall endeavor to address and meet as many of the voters as possible in order that we may get better acquainted with each other. I earnestly solicit the support of my fellow democrats. Respectfully,

ma21 tf C. C. CARLIN.

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Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1907.

A Mother's Deed.

Matilda Britting, twenty-eight years old, wife of Otto Britting, of Millbrook, near Dover, N. J., on last Saturday afternoon drowned herself and her nine-months'-old son George and three-year-old stepdaughter Grace, in Shongum Lake, two miles from her home. The three bodies were discovered at daybreak yesterday in shallow water, about twenty feet from shore. The mother was in a stooping posture with the boy clasped in her arms, while the girl was beneath her. The garments of both children were fastened to their mother's with safety pins.

Britting says ever since the birth of her child, his wife had shown an almost insane dislike of his three children by his first wife. The latter also met a tragic death. On July 12, 1904, Britting left a gun on the porch, his wife having called him to shoot a hawk, and his four-year-old son Otto pointed the gun at his mother and, as he called to her to look, pressed the trigger, killing her instantly.

Health in Canal Zone.

The high wages paid make it a mighty temptation to our young artisians to join the force of skilled workmen needed to construct the Panama Canal. Many are restrained however by the fear of fevers and malaria. It is the knowing ones—those who have used Electric Bitters, who go there without this fear, well knowing they are safe from malarious influence with Electric Bitters on hand. Cures blood poison too, billiousness, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists 50c.

Whipped by Whitecappers

News of a raid by white-cappers in Franklin county on Friday night was received at Roanoke yesterday. A band of unknown masked men, visited the home of J. W. Enedy, a white man, living in an isolated section of the county, west of Rocky Mount, about midnight and administered a severe whipping on Enedy, his wife, his mother and his wife's sister, serving notice that unless they emigrated within a short while the visit would be repeated and the beatings would be more severe. Enedy declares that all the victims were stripped of their clothing and the lash was laid on without mercy. Enedy has declared his intention to dispose of his property and leave the county. It is alleged the character of his home was not above reproach, and that this was the cause of the raid by the white caps.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poison enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package.

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Ladies' Short Silk Gloves, pair	50c
Ladies' Long Silk Gloves, pair 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and	$1.98
Ladies' Long Lisle Gloves, pair 35c, 50c and	$1.25
Ladies' New Collars, each 5c, 10c, 15c and	25c
Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, each 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 50c, $1.00	$1.50
Ladies' New Lisle Hosiery, pair 12½c, 25c, 35c and	50c
Ladies' New Silk Hosiery, pair	$1.50
Ladies' New White Lawn Waists, each 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and	$1.98
Ladies' New Silk Waists, each $2.25, $2.98, $3.49 and	$4.50
Ladies' New Belts, each 25c, 50c, 75c and	$1.00
Ladies' New Silk Underskirts, each $4.25, $5.00 and	$6.50
New Silk Ribbons, 5c yard to	$1.00
New Fancy Rachings, yard	25c
Ladies' New Leather Hand Bags, each 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and	$1.50
Ladies' New Easter Jewelry, each 10c, 15c, 25c and	50c
Ladies' New Combs, each 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c and	50c
Ladies' New Dress Skirts, each $2.49, $3.50, $4.50, $5.00, $6.50, $7.50 and	$8.50
Ladies' New Corsets, pair 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and	$2.00
Ladies' New Hat Pins, each 5c, 10c, 15c and	25c

For Men.

Easter Neckties, each 25c, 50c and	75c
Easter Dress Gloves, pair $1.00, $1.50 and	$1.75
Easter Dress Shirts, each $1.00, $1.50, $1.75 and	$2.25
Easter Hosiery, pair 12½c, 25c, 35c, 50c and	$1.50
Easter Collars and Cuffs, each	12½c
Easter Suspenders, pair 25c, 50c, $1.00 and	$1.50
Easter Handkerchiefs, each 10c, 12½c, 25c and	35c
New Spring Underwear, each 25c, 50c and	$1.00
New Spring Pajamas, suit $1.00, $1.50 and	$2.00
New Spring Night Robes, each 50c, 75c and	$1.00
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2 4-oz. bottles Vanilla and Lemon, 1 each	75c
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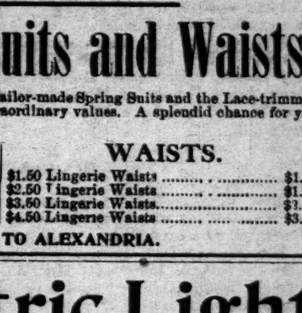

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ROSE EMMA GREEN, Administratrix.
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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the NATIONAL CAPITAL COPPER MINING COMPANY will be held at the the offices of said Company, No 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, April 9, 1907, at 11 o'clock, a. m.

ma26 td MAX PLOEGER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA THEATRE COMPANY will be held at the principal office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, April 8, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m.

J. WHIT HERRON, Secretary.

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Office of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE CO. 1231 Callowhill street. Philadelphia, Pa., March 25th, 1907.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischman, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon THURSDAY, the 11th day of April, 1907, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on the 1st of April at four o'clock p. m. and will be opened on April 16th at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors,

WILFRED BANCROFT, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SANITARY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at the office of James R. Caton, Esq., No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, April 2nd, 1907, at 2 p. m.

ma14 td GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

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